## **FISCAL NOTE**

## HB 1687 - SB 1831

February 28, 1997

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Redefines the types of *persons* and the classes of actions for which *persons* are subject to the jurisdiction of the Tennessee Courts. Service of process on such individuals may be accomplished in the manner currently provided by the Tennessee Rules of Civil Procedure or as otherwise provided by law.

## **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant** 

Assumes an increase in state expenditures only to the extent that the Secretary of State's office will be used to effect out-of-state service of process on appropriate *persons* who would not otherwise have been subject to service of process under present law but who may now be served under the long-arm statute.

## **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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